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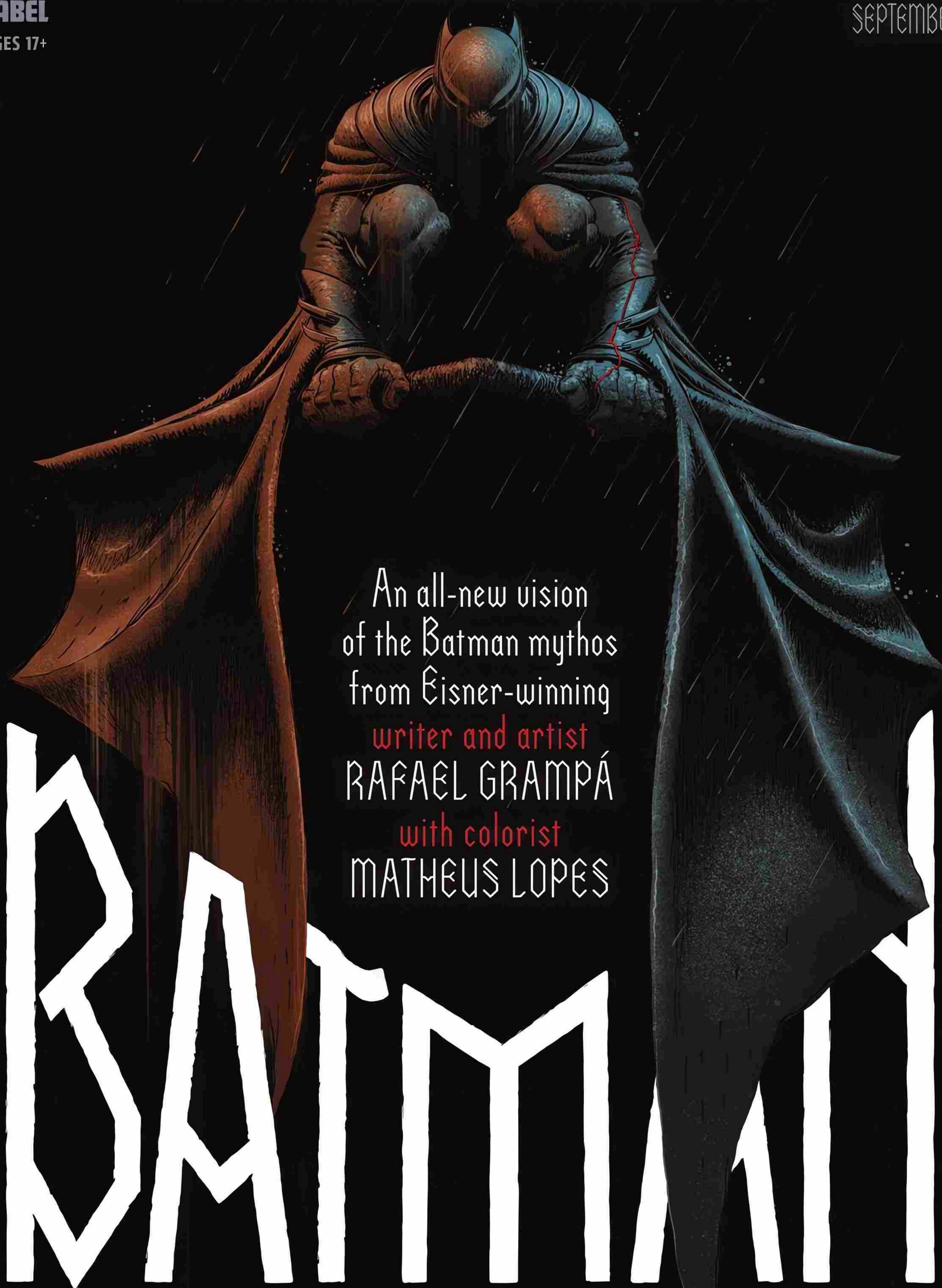
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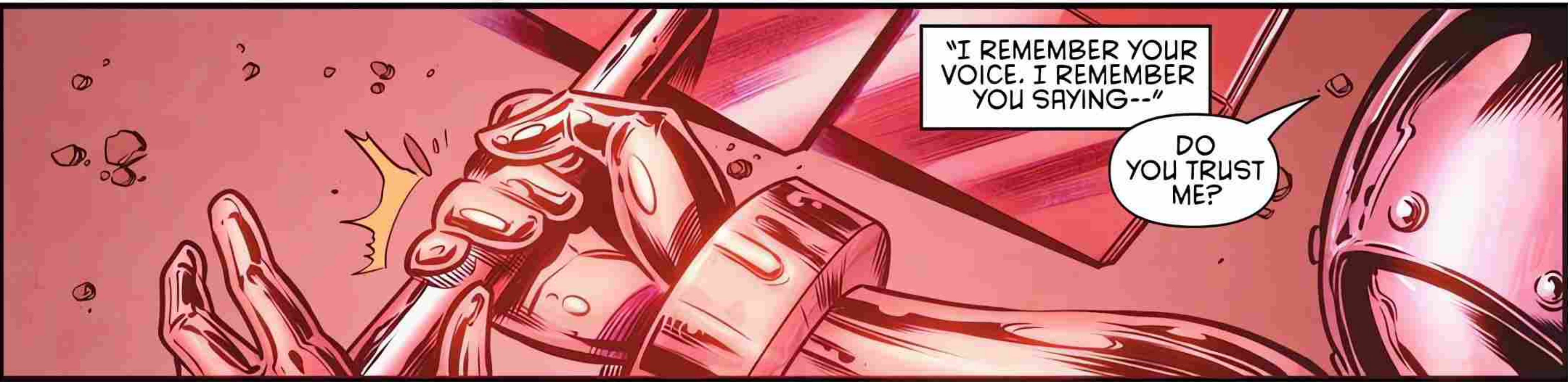
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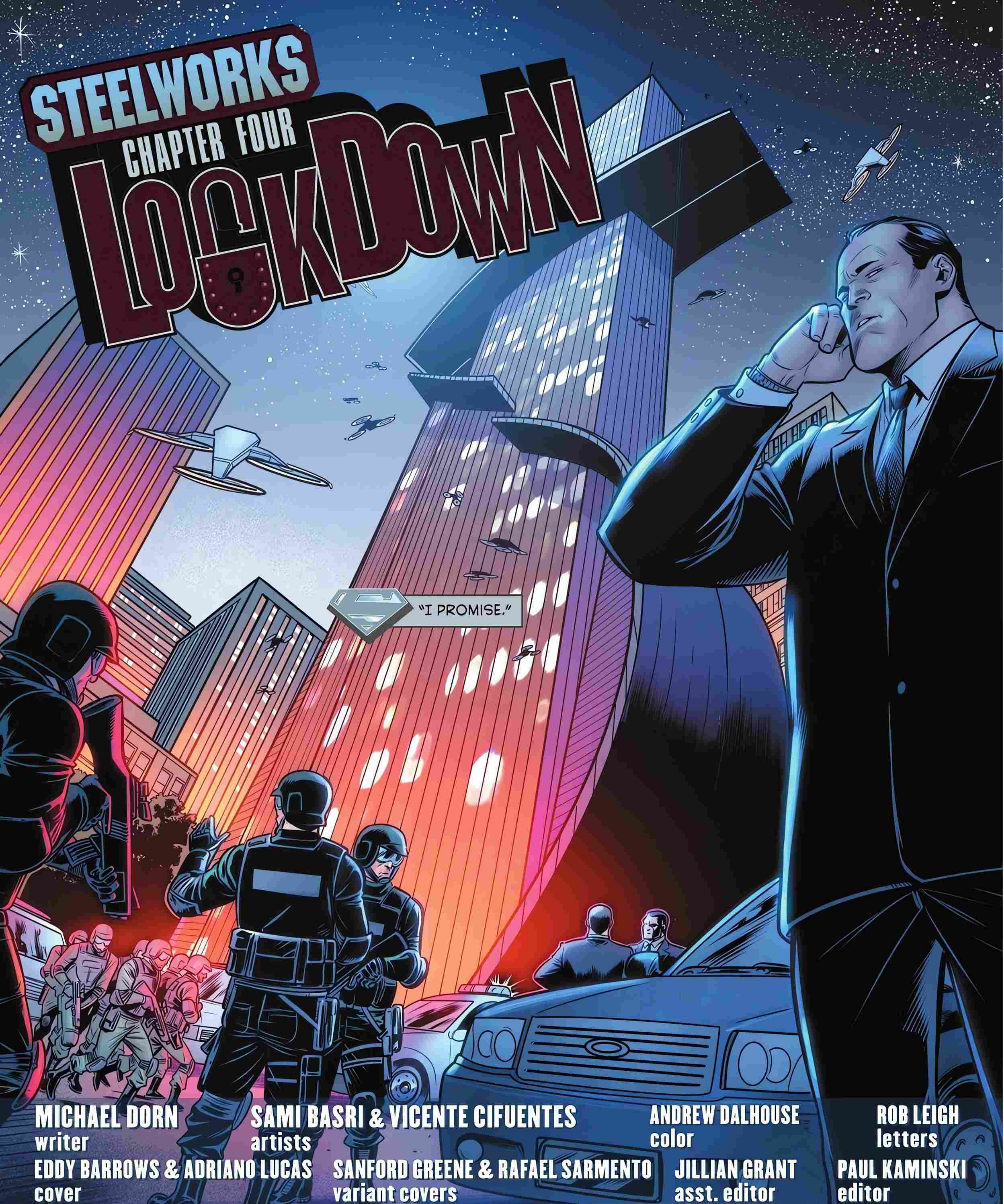
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STEELWORKS

CHAPTER FOUR

LOCKDOWN



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UNTIL I FIND OUT WHAT THE HELL IS GOING ON?

YES.



YOU SAW WHAT HAPPENED...WHERE DID THOSE **CYBERNETIC SOLDIERS** COME FROM? WHAT WAS THE **PURPOSE?**

MAYBE JUST TO RAIN ON YOUR PARADE? SOME SORT OF...PETTY JEALOUSY?*

YOU DON'T BELIEVE THAT.

MAYBE NOT.

*LAST ISSUE, --PK

STEELWORKS TOWER.
JOHN HENRY IRONS'S WORKSHOP.



AREN'T YOU THROUGH POKING AND PRODDING ME YET?

JUST A COUPLE MORE TESTS.

THUNK



I CAN'T PROVE IT YET...BUT I HAVE A STRONG SUSPICION THAT THIS IS ALL CONNECTED SOMEHOW.

WHAT'S ALL CONNECTED?

THE **SUPERMAN DAY** ATTACK...THE **BREAK-INS AT STEELWORKS**...THE **ZERO-POINT ENERGY REACTOR**...THE **MAN WHO ATTACKED NATASHA**...*

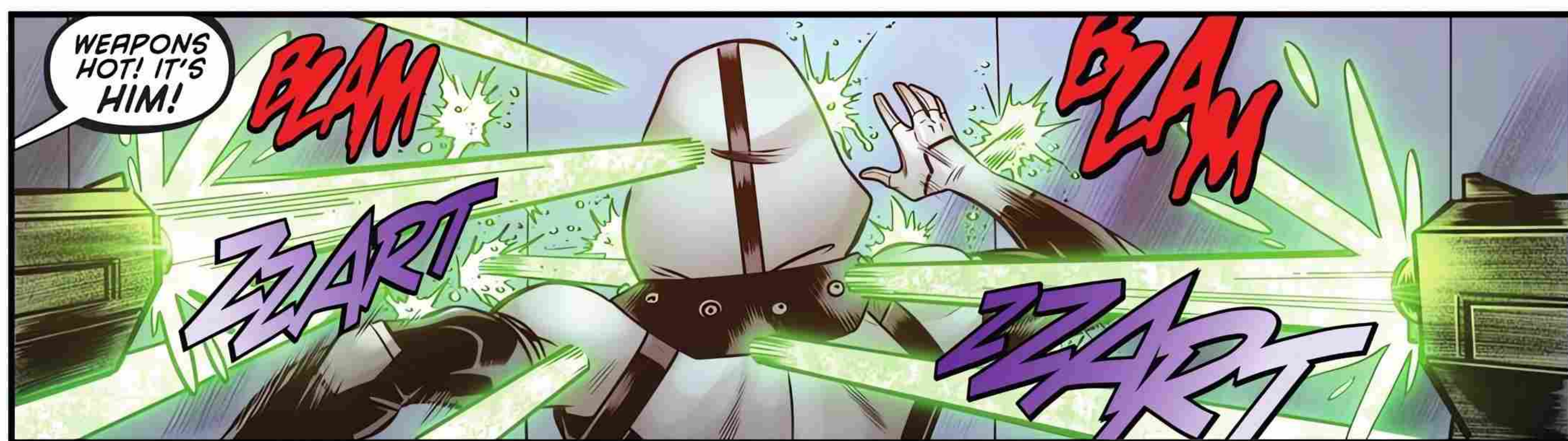
*AS SEEN IN **STEELWORKS** #1-3,
--PAUL AGAIN



"...AND UNTIL I FIGURE OUT HOW TO KEEP EVERYONE *SAFE*, WE STAY IN *LOCKDOWN*."



OUTSIDE STEELWORKS TOWER.





TWENTY
YARDS, TURN
RIGHT!

ALMOST
THERE,
MR. KERRY.
OR SHOULD
I SAY...

**SILVER
MIST!**

MAKE IT
THROUGH THIS LITTLE
STEELWORKS TOWER
MAZE AND WE HAVE A
DEAL, RIGHT?

WAIT.
THERE. THERE
IT IS.

DOWN TWO
FLOORS!

WALKER INC.

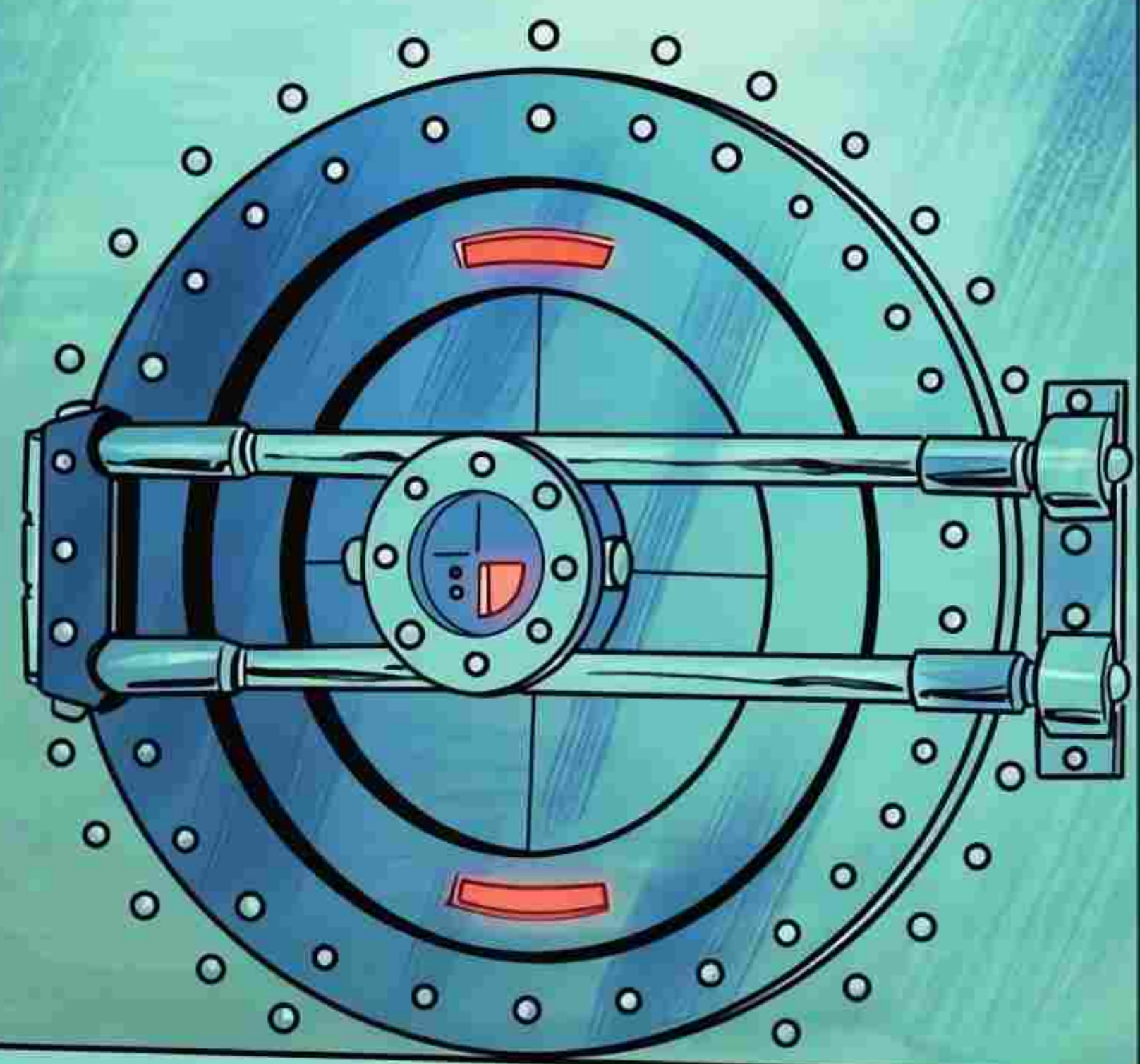
OFFICE OF CHARLES WALKER III.



THE
VAULT.

REMEMBER
WHAT WE TALKED
ABOUT.

DON'T THINK,
JUST BUILD UP AS
MUCH SPEED AS
YOU POSSIBLY
CAN...









"THIS IS
JOHN HENRY IRONS
TO ALL UNITS. LOCK IT
DOWN, PEOPLE."

ALERT!

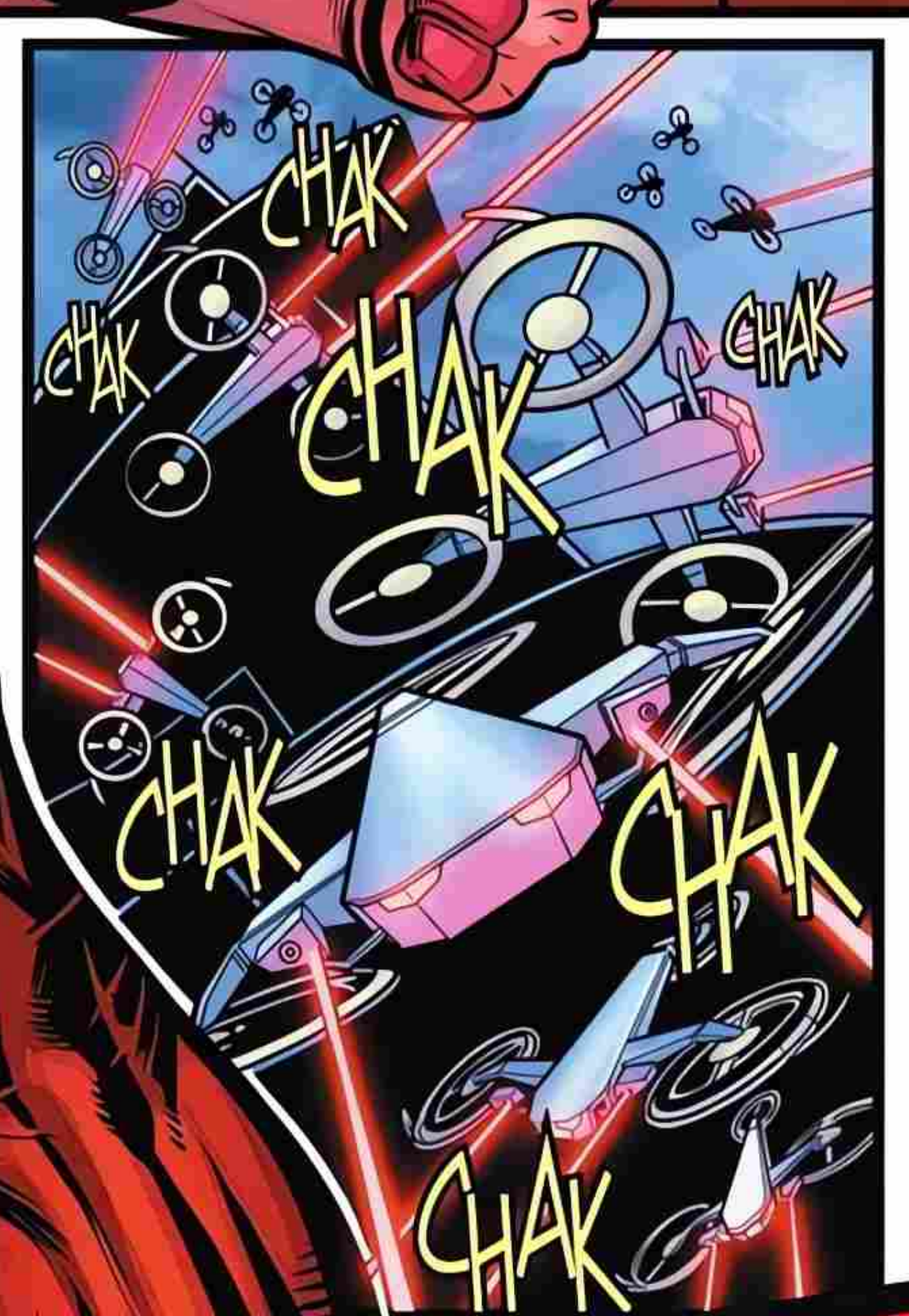
FWOOM

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ALERT!

C-CHUNK

ALERT!



ALERT!



JOHN HENRY,
THIS IS JAY. ALL UNITS
REPORTING THAT
BUILDING-WIDE SHIELDS
AND DEFENSES ARE UP
AND HOLDING.

I'M GETTING
QUESTIONS FROM CITY HALL,
THE DAILY PLANET, AND MY
OWN SWEET LANDLORD ABOUT
WHAT'S HAPPENING TO
STEELWORKS TOWER
RIGHT NOW...

WHAT
EXACTLY AM
I TELLING
THEM?

TELL THEM WE'RE
RUNNING A TEST OF
OUR DEFENSIVE FUNCTIONALITY
AS A PREVENTATIVE MEASURE
AGAINST ADDITIONAL
CYBERNETIC ATTACKS LIKE
WHAT WE SAW IN
CENTENNIAL PARK.

OKAY.
GOT IT.
IS THAT
TRUE?

MOSTLY.

PLEASE
DON'T MAKE
ME LIE TO MY
LANDLORD.

WE DON'T KNOW
WHAT WE'RE DEALING
WITH RIGHT NOW,
MR. NAKAMURA.

DOES
SECURITY HAVE
AN ORIGIN POINT
FOR THE INITIAL
ALARM TRIP?

THE
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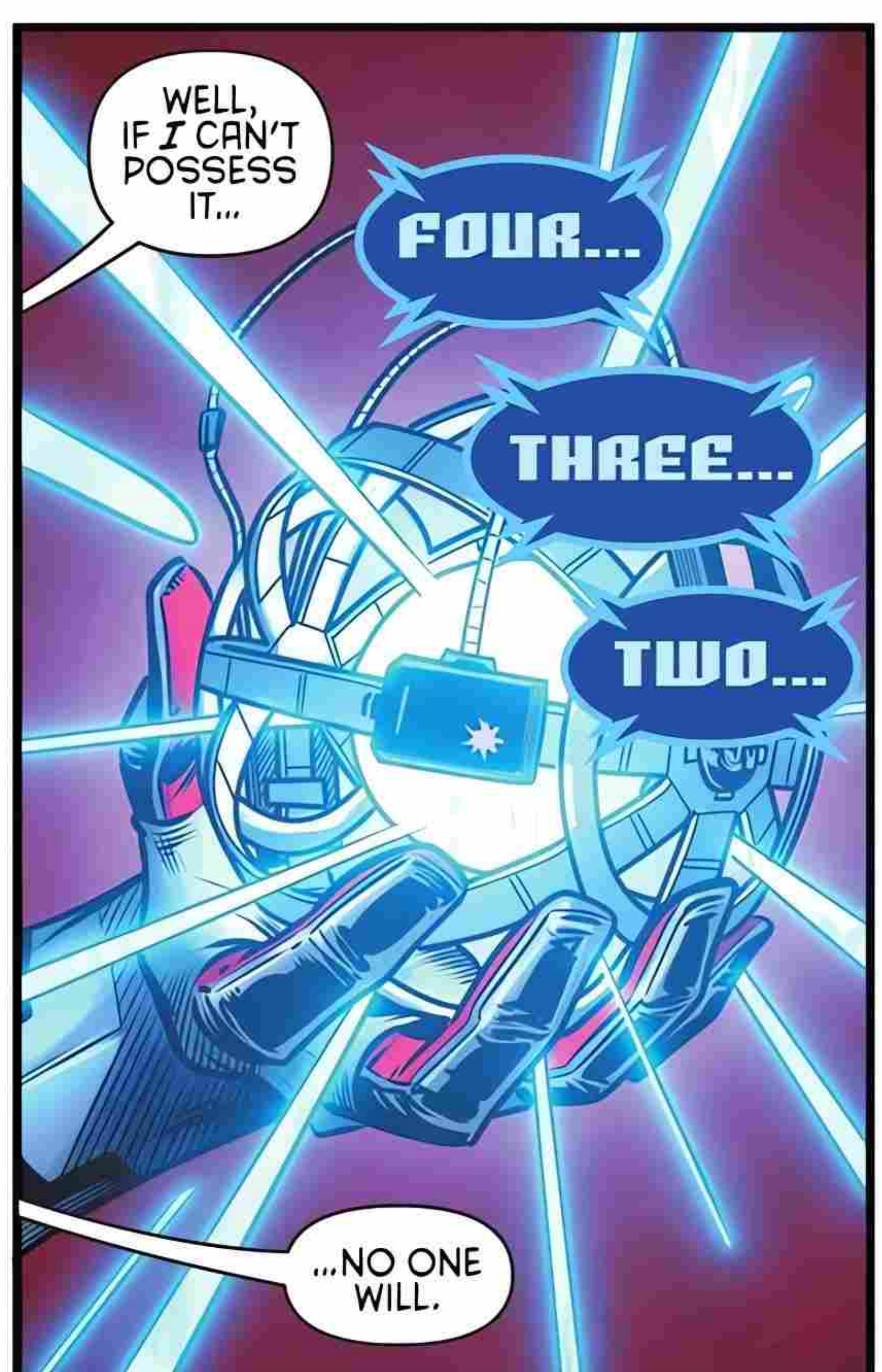
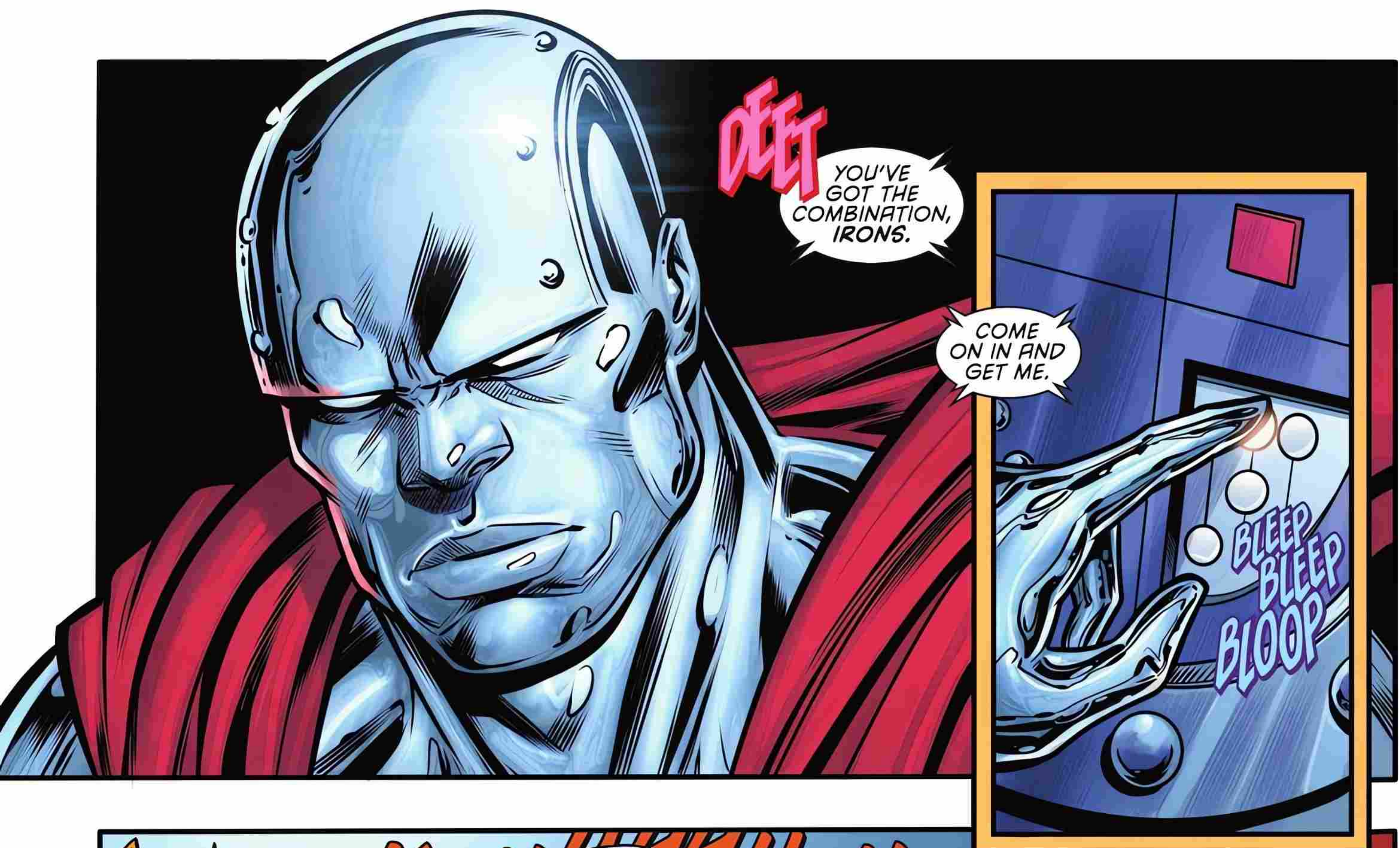
YOU STAY
HERE.

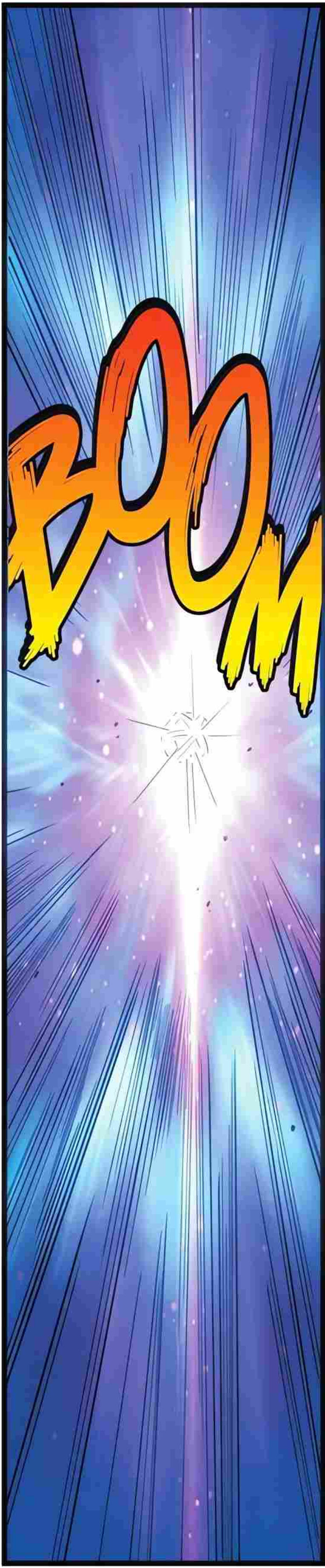
WHAT
DID YOU
SAY?

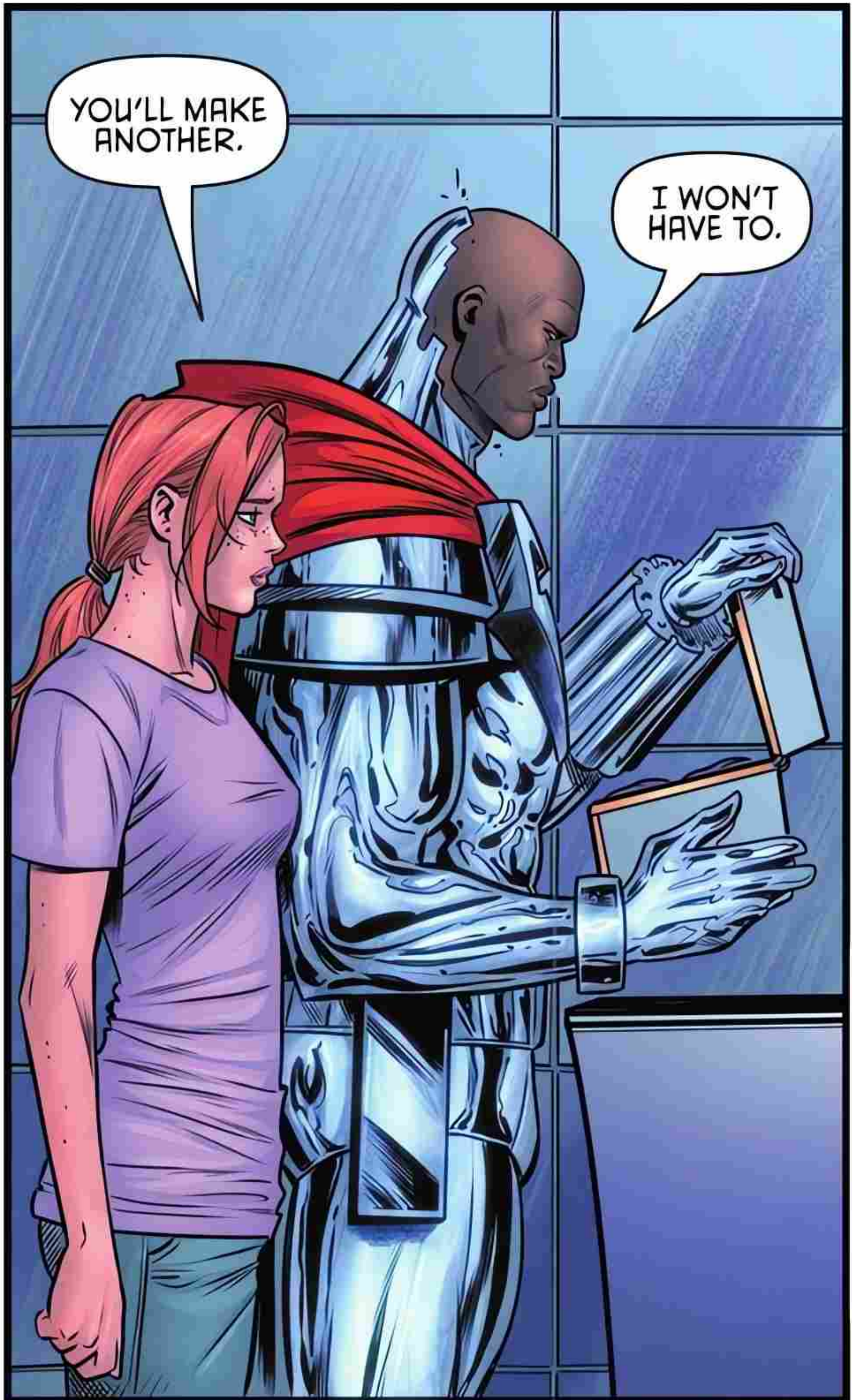
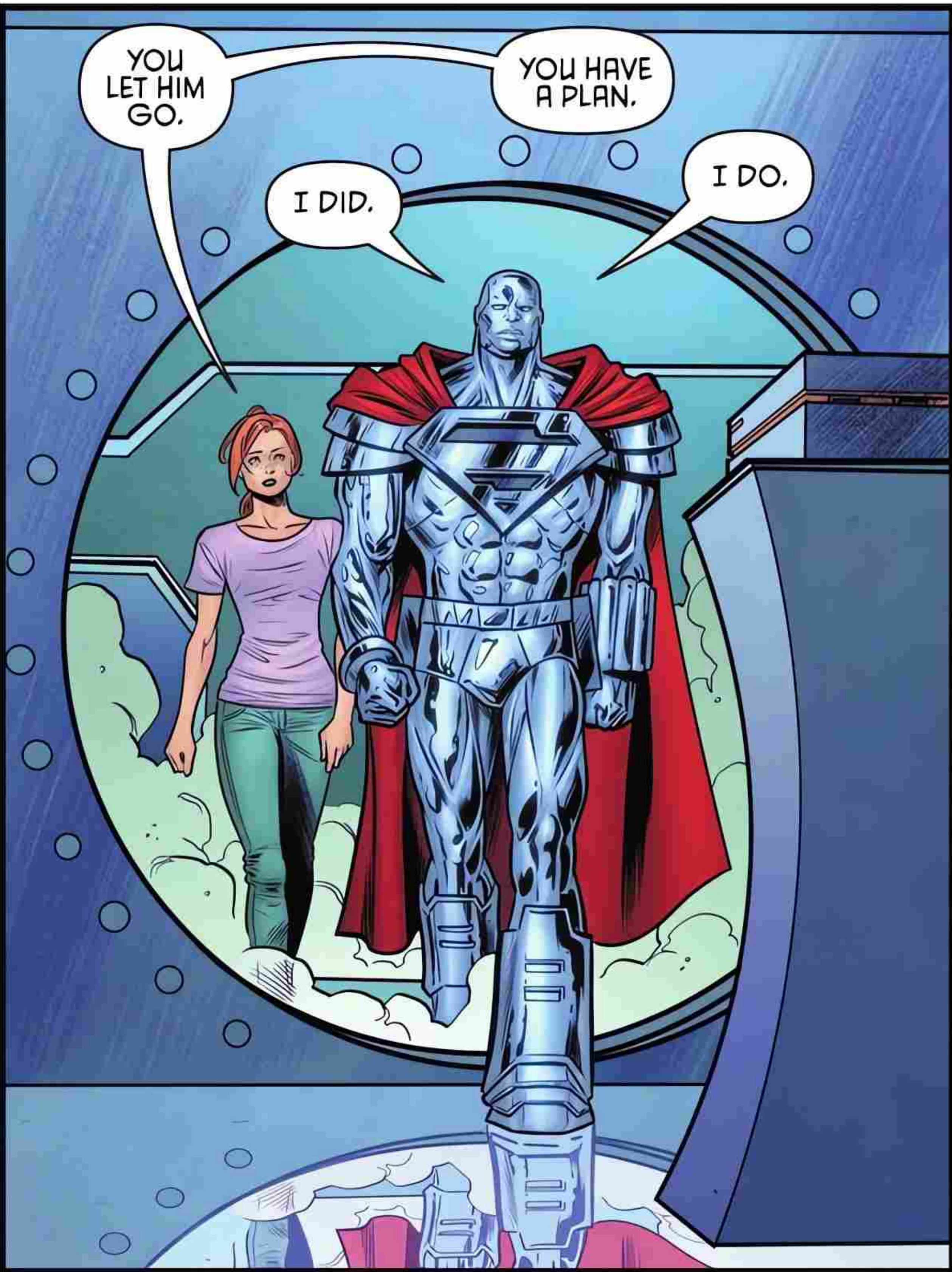
Heh.

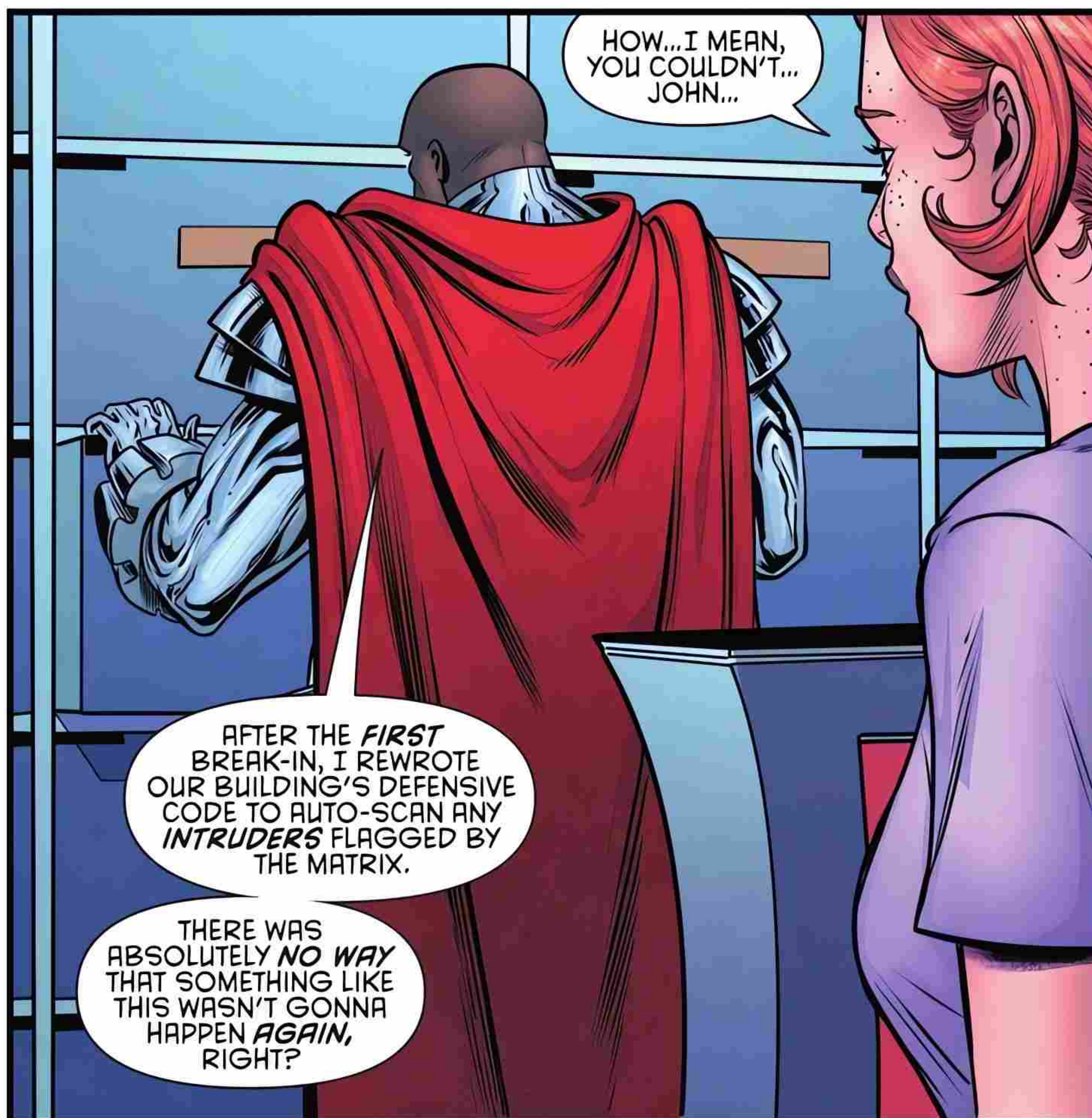
I SAID,
LET'S GO.



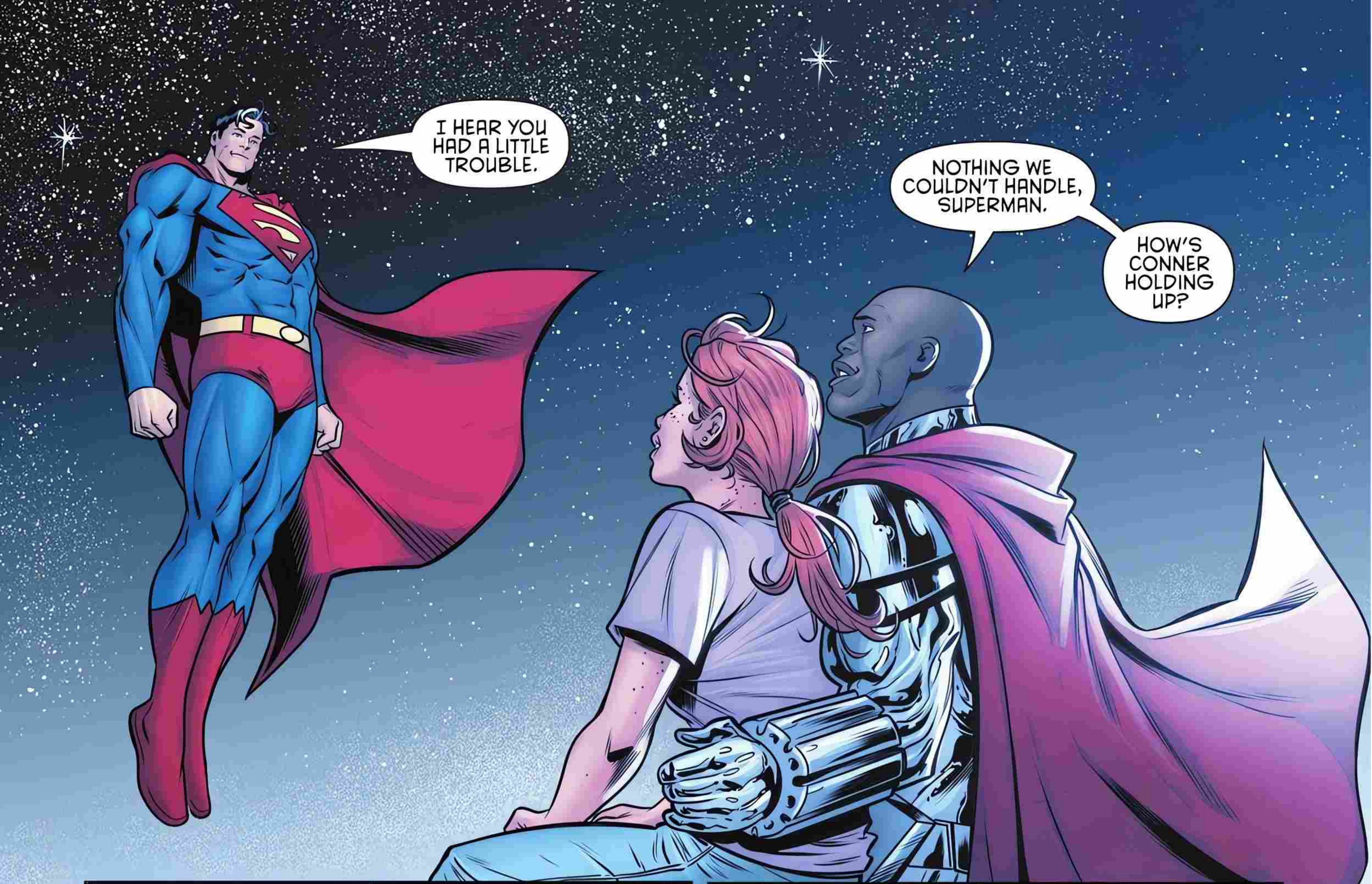












I HEAR YOU HAD A LITTLE TROUBLE.

NOTHING WE COULDN'T HANDLE, SUPERMAN.

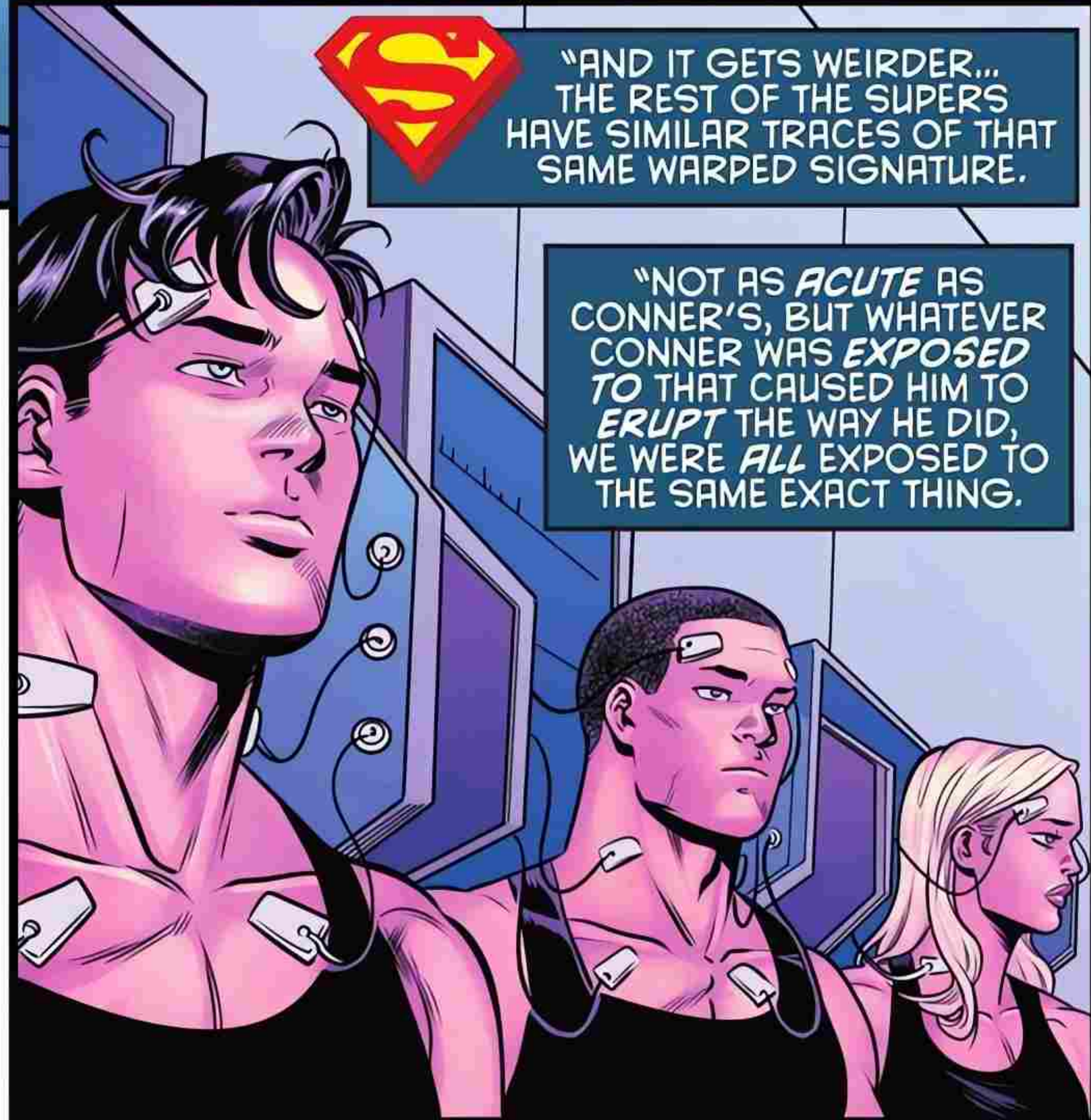
HOW'S CONNER HOLDING UP?



RECOVERING... BUT THE SUPERCORP MEDICAL TEAM FOUND SOME... UNSETTLING THINGS DURING HIS EXAMINATION.

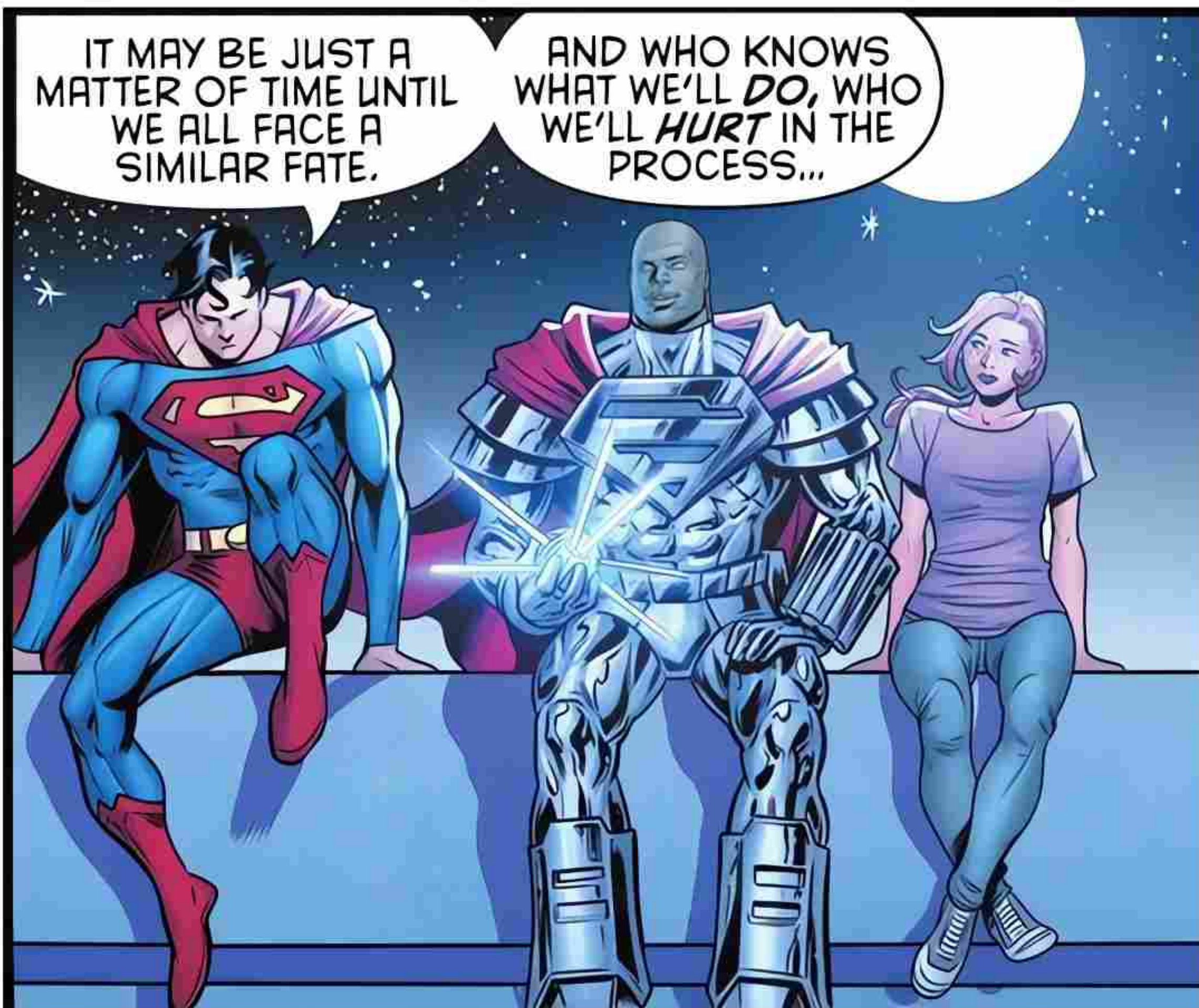
"UNSETTLING?"

IT WAS AS THOUGH HIS MOLECULES HAD... **WARPED** SOMEHOW. HIS HEAT VISION SUPER-CHARGING THE WAY IT DID SEEMED TO BE A RESULT OF A REACTION TO AN **ALIEN SOURCE**... WE JUST HAVE NO IDEA **WHAT**.



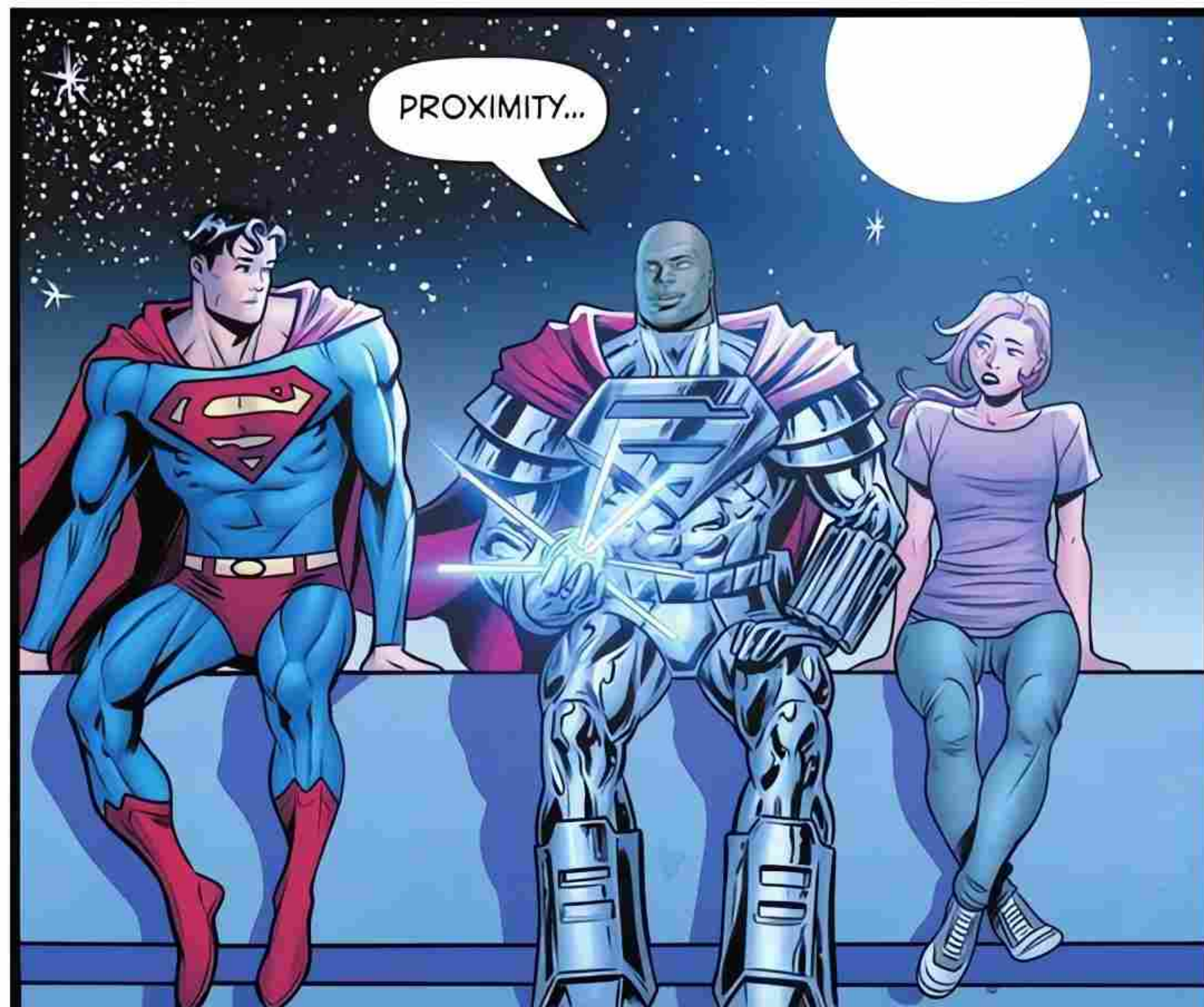
"AND IT GETS WEIRDER... THE REST OF THE SUPERS HAVE SIMILAR TRACES OF THAT SAME WARPED SIGNATURE.

"NOT AS **ACUTE** AS CONNER'S, BUT WHATEVER CONNER WAS **EXPOSED** TO THAT CAUSED HIM TO **ERUPT** THE WAY HE DID, WE WERE **ALL** EXPOSED TO THE SAME EXACT THING.

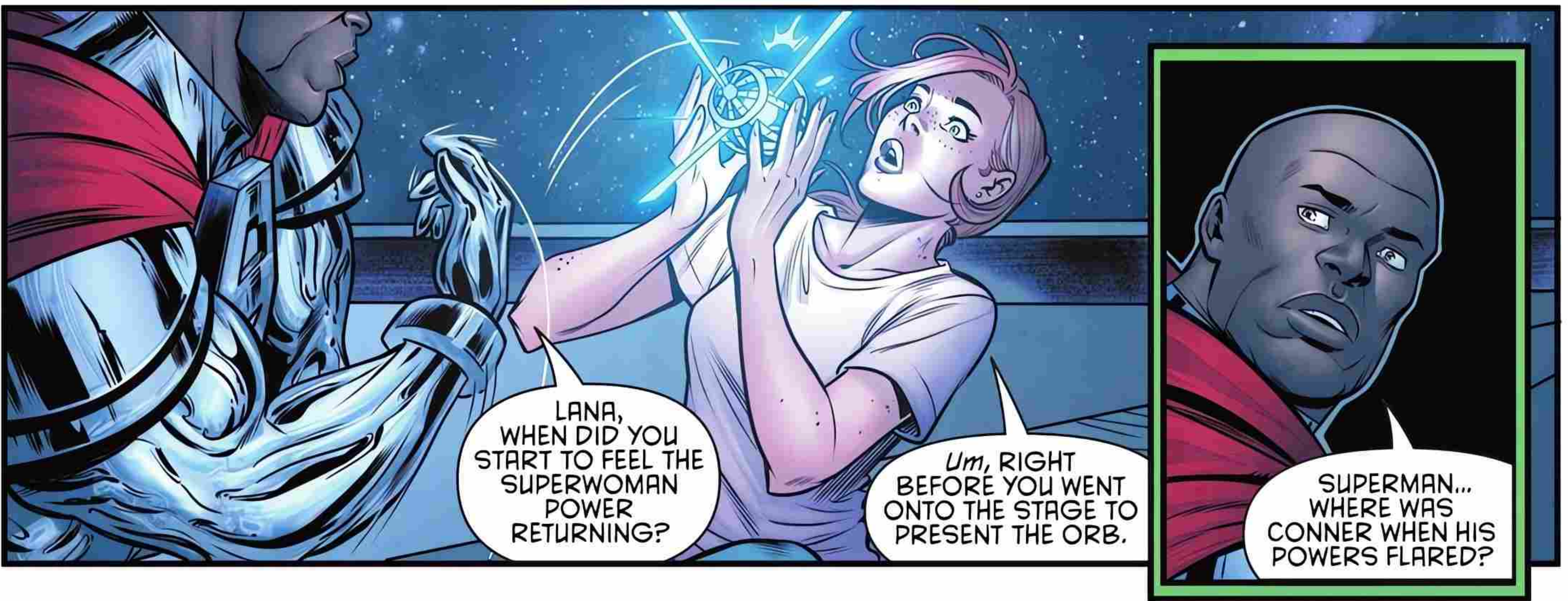


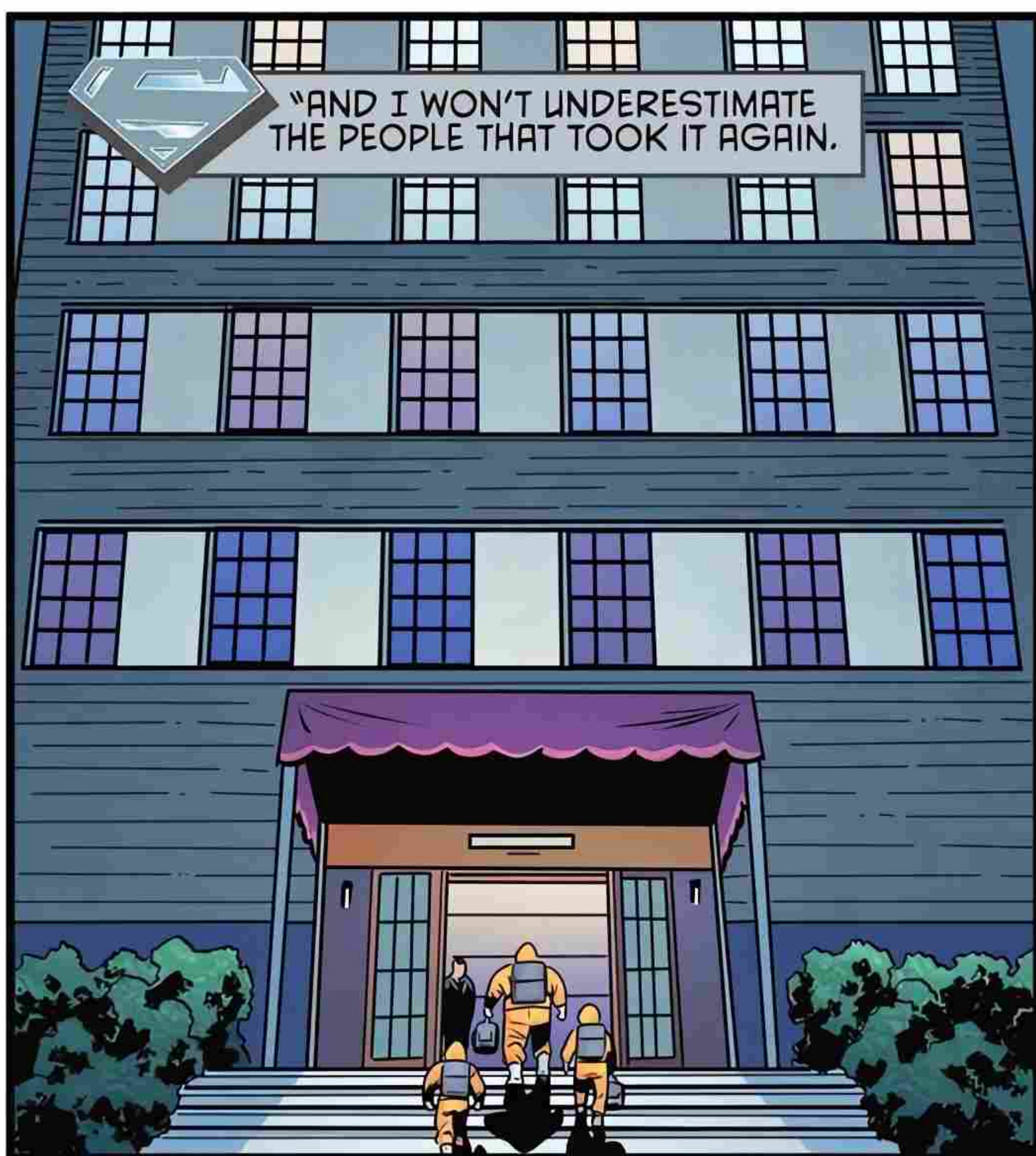
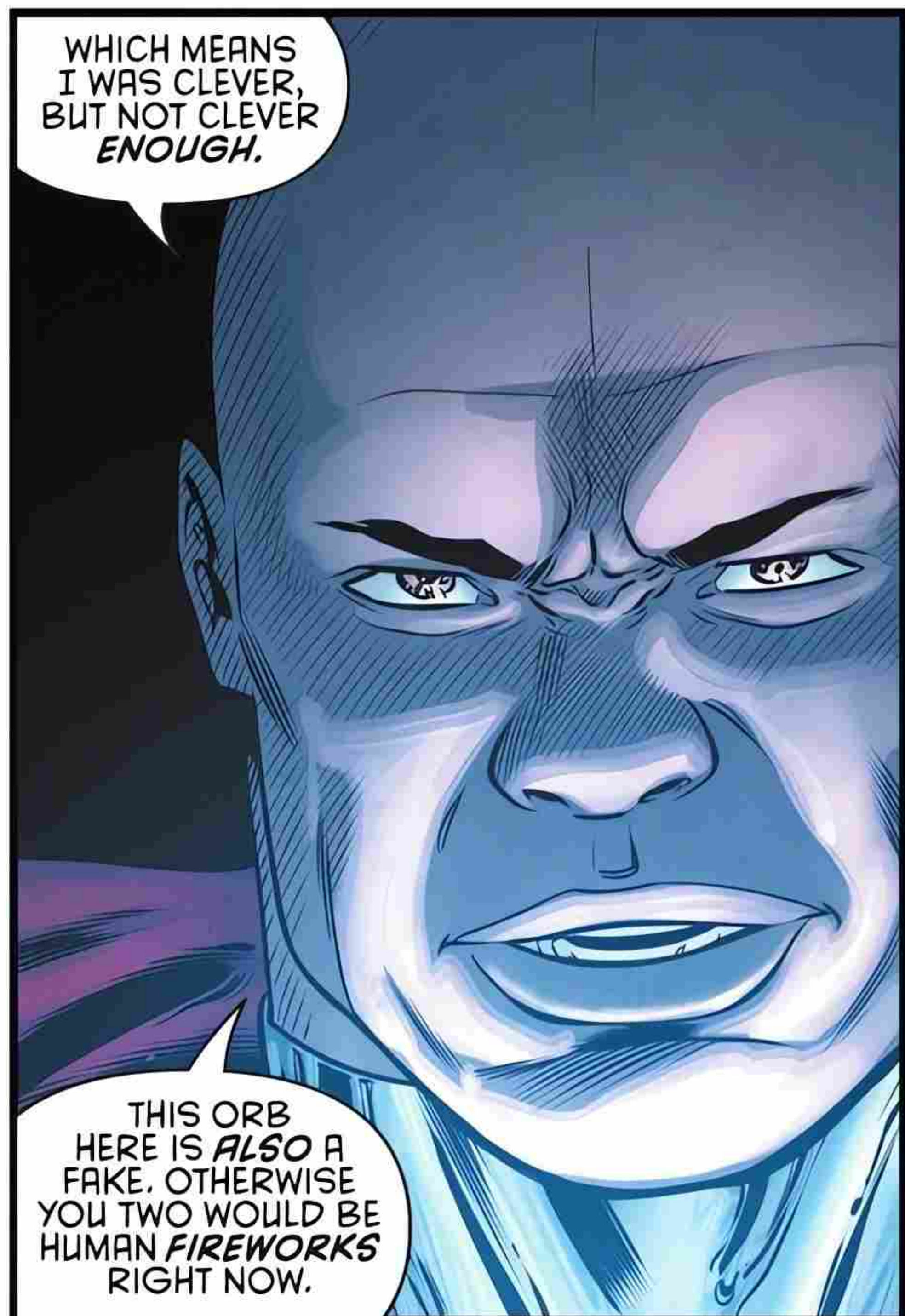
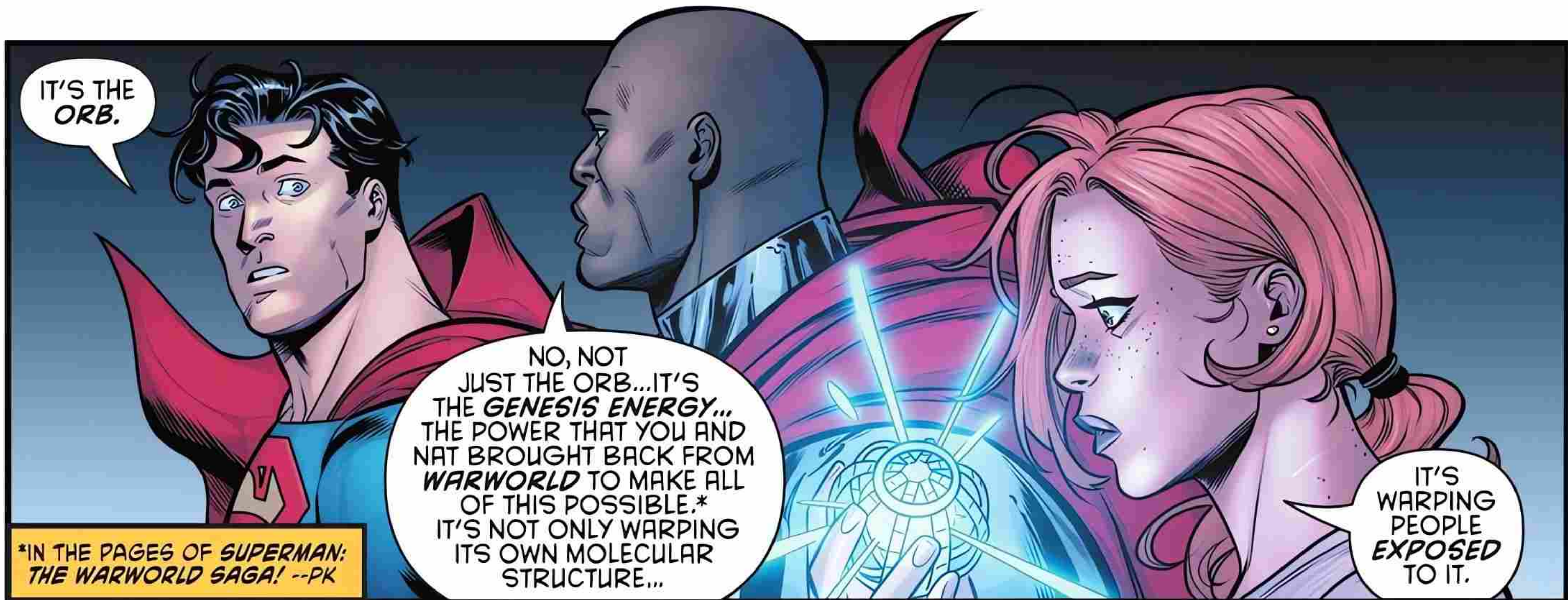
IT MAY BE JUST A MATTER OF TIME UNTIL WE ALL FACE A SIMILAR FATE.

AND WHO KNOWS WHAT WE'LL **DO**, WHO WE'LL **HURT** IN THE PROCESS...



PROXIMITY...







"NOW THE FUN BEGINS!"

◀◀ **NEXT:** **MELCHA MADNESS!**



**WEB
TOON**

**volume
ONE**

**MARI JUST LEARNED MAGIC IS REAL.
FRESHMAN YEAR IS GONNA BE A DOOZY.**

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